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FEATS OF FOUR CLIPPERS.

The Closest Ocean Race of Twenty Years Just Won.

The chronic grumblers of the Maratime Exchange, who have had nothing to talk about except the hard times for nobody can tell how many years, have had to drop the topic for two days past in order to recall with animation the days when clipper ships were built and times were good, and each ship that came out had to beat the record or take reduced freights. The cause of all this change was due to the arrival of four vessels at this port that had crossed the Atlantic in remarkable time, one of them having eclipsed all former records from the port from which she sailed. Two of these ships were big Maine clippers on their first round voyages in the San Francisco trade, and two were built in Nova Scotia.

At noon on October 10th, the ship Albert G. Ropes, Capt. David H. Rivers, hauled out of the dock at Liverpool, having 1,500 tons of salt on board. She was in tow for eight hours, and then made all sail with a fresh wind in the north-north-east. One hour after the Ropes had left the dock the Commodore T. H. Allen, Capt. Robert Merriman, carrying a light cargo followed her, and began making sail at about the same time. Both ships measure over 2,200 tons, both have masts so tall that a landsman gets dizzy looking at the tops of them, and both spread nearly two acres of canvas in such a wind as was whistling over their decks on the evening of Oct., 10th.

There were only two dirty Liverpool tugs to see the send-off, but there has not been such a race in twenty years as was then begun. The two ships lost sight of each other during the night, but each captain knew that the other was not far away, and each one watched the trim of his canvas and the course by the compass in a way that would prevent the loss of an inch of vantage. For forty-eight hours neither saw the other, but at the end of that time Capt. Rivers saw the skysails of the Allen looming above the horizon astern. The wind was light and in the east, and the Allen had recognized their opponent a head, but with such light airs that the race was aggravating. The Allen crawled up a bit during the day, which was Monday, and for two days the two ships watched each other, having the whole ocean to themselves. They were reeling off the miles at a fair rate, but were doing nothing to brag of.

It is likely that there were never two captains more surprised than these were when, on Wednesday morning, they awoke to the fact that somebody's royal sail was showing up astern, and that it was a British royal at that. Before night the third ship, the Flora P. Stafford, of Windsor, Nova Scotia, Capt. John Smith, had passed the Allen, and was legging along after the Ropes in a most provoking style. The Stafford had left Bristol on the day after the two American ships left Liverpool, and here she was overhauling both of them.

Thereafter for six days these there ships watched each other as cats watch mice, and then the Stafford disappeared. When the George's Bank was reached, sixteen days after leaving Liverpool, the Allen and the Ropes were still in sight of each other. But there they separated. They had held a good wind from north to east, and had every reason to feel comfortable over the work done.

Five days later both were cruising along Long Island, the Ropes passing Fire Island light about four hours ahead of the Allen. But that four hours were enough to land the Ropes inside the bar nearly twenty-four hours a head of her rival. The weather came on thick and the wind heavy, and the Allen had to lie outside until Friday. On that day the Flora Stafford arrived. She was off the bar at five o'clock in the morning, but her pilot refused to take her in.

The actual time of the Ropes to the bar was eighteen days and twelve hours and from dock to dock a few minutes less than nineteen days. The captains of these three ships were inclined to be jubilant, but when they got on shore they heard of a little Nova Scotia bark that had beaten them all. On October 11th the bark Belt, commanded by Capt. N. V. Munro, sailed out of Flushing, the port at the mouth of the river, two hours below Antwerp, at about 10 o'clock, having silver sand and empty petroleum barrels for this port. She made runs varying from 150 to 265 miles day after day, and at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday last she was at anchor off Staten Island. Her run was between seventeen and eighteen days. She had beaten the record from Antwerp. When it is considered that Antwerp is at least a day and a half further away than Liverpool or Bristol, st is seen that the Belt, which measured only 1,246 tons, has made a passage that compares favorably with the most famous passages of the old American Liverpool packets.—N. Y. Times.

Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

TORONTO, Nov. 16.—John M. Munro, oldest son of the late George Munro, at one time Mayor of this city, died suddenly this afternoon at the Queen's hotel, where he had lived for nearly a quarter of a century. He was well known throughout the Dominion and greatly respected. He was in his 59th year.

The World announces this morning that Senator Plumb has been settled on as Sir Leonard Tilley's successor in the Cabinet.

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 16.—The coat, hat and vest of Marshall Piggot, supposed to have been murdered a year ago, were found yesterday in the lake adjoining the farm of Havelock Smith, now in jail charged with the murder.

Considerable surprise was caused here yesterday by the report that Mr. Campbell, postmaster of Aylmer, is missing. His accounts are said to be considerably short.

MONTREAL, Nov. 16.—The statement of the firm of C. T. Picard & Co., wholesale jewellers, who failed a few days ago, shows the liabilities to be $26,000, and assets $21,000.

A cable to the Globe says the increased space granted to Canada at the Colonial exhibition amounts to six thousand five hundred feet inside the building and almost as much in the gardens for outside exhibits. It is believed this addition makes the Canadian court the largest granted to any colony not excepting the Indian court.

One of the sights on King street yesterday was Premier Norquay riding in a stylish dog cart, driven by a coach man in livery, cockade and all. Mr. Bedson is also here.

The feeling about the Riel matter has lapsed into quietness to-day. The Dominion flag which was at half-mast on the city hall has been taken down and replaced by the French tri-color, at the request of a deputation who waited on Mayor Beaugrand, and represented that it was calculated to increase the excitement rather than to ally it. The mayor said he thought it was a mistake, and was done without weighing probable consequences, and he would have it removed. No further trouble is anticipated.

OTTAWA, Nov. 17.—The Citizen has the following in connection with the crowd engaged in burning effigies last night: "We are informed that among the leaders of the mob that came up town last night for the purpose of wrecking the Citizen office were several members of the civil service, whose names are in our possession. We demand that the Government deal with these gentlemen rowdies in a summary manner."

KINGSTON, Nov, 16.—Andrew McFarlane aged 80 was struck by a freight train at Mooney's crossing near Napanee and killed. The horse was killed and the buggy smashed. McFarlane was very deaf.

For the Newest Styles

In Millinery, Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers and Lace, go to the
LONDON HOUSE,
† Government street.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous or Cast-off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats.* TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to
N. POINTER, Johnson st., near Broad.

THERE *are thousands of Christmas Cards on exhibition, ranging in price from 4 for 10c upward, at Hibben & Co.'s.* *

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Of every description for sale at *The Colonist* office.

LATEST issue of the Canadian Tariff at Hibben & Co.'s. ‡

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REAL ESTATE for sale by Rand Bros., Victoria and New Westminster, B. C. +

Eastern States.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 20.—Ex-Mayor John B. Bowman, of East St. Louis, Ills., was assassinated in a cowardly manner a few feet from his home at 8 o'clock this evening. He was returning from Belleville, Ills., and was walking home with a satchel in his hand. Just before the shooting a man was seen walking behind him. As Mr. Bowman reached his gate the man walked up and deliberately placed a revolver back of his neck and fired. Mr. Bowman fell and died instantly. When found five minutes later, the skin of his neck was powder burned. The police have no clue to the identity of the murderer. Mr. Bowman was the best known politician in Southern Illinois, and was a lieutenant and friend of congressman Morrison.

Fine Arts.

JOHN BROOKS, MANUFACTURING CARVER AND GILDER Old frames repaired and regilt equal to new. Oil paintings skillfully cleansed and restored. Picture frames in any style or pattern. All delicate work, such as rice-paper needlework, choice photographs, etc, will receive careful treatment. Mounts cut to any pattern.

I would call your attention to a choice collection of steel engravings, photos, etc., of the latest productions. Being in communication with all the publishers enables me to supply them much cheaper than any person not understanding the business. New subjects in progress will be forwarded when first published. REASONABLE charges; cheap picture frames. JOHN BROOKS, Fort street, between Mr. Leask, the tailor, and Mr. Campbell, the chemist. o27 3m

Prang's Christmas Cards.

We have opened a full line in these goods for the ensuing season which for excellence of design and artistic merit are unsurpassed. An inspection solicited.
* M. W. WAITT & Co., Agents.

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MEXICO,
CAPT. HUNTINGTON,
Will sail from the VICTORIA WHARF, outer harbor, for San Francisco, on
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH, AT NOON.
Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.
Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, Nov. 26th.
For Freight and Passage apply to
no22 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

SEASON 1885.
DIRECT FROM LONDON.

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— OFFER —
RAISINS } MUSCATELLE, DEHESA, VALENCIA, SULTANA.
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Orange, Citron and Lemon Peels.
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SHEET IRON,
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DISPATCH A
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— FROM —
Spence's Bridge to Nicola.
PASSENGERS FOR THE
SEMILKAMEEN
MINES
Going by this route should leave Victoria on FRIDAY MORNING'S BOAT, thus connecting with Monday morning's Stage from Spence's Bridge.
FRANK S. BARNARD,
oc28 1m MANAGER.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE WARRANTS OF EXPEcution issued out of the County Court of Victoria District, and to me directed, at the suits of Charles Miles Beak, Brown Bros., and Henry H. Sawyer against Frank Knuth, I have seized and taken possession of the goods, chattels and fixtures of the said Frank Knuth, in the premises known as the New York Coffee and Chop House, situate on Yates street, next door to Brown Bros, Grocers, and offer the same for sale by tender to the highest bidder for Cash Tenders may be addressed to me until Wednesday, the 25th instant, at 12 o'clock, noon. The highest tender not necessarily accepted.
no21 4t J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Possesses the greatest possible power to heal and control affections of the throat and lungs, with absolute safety for children or adults. The experience of years has proven it to be of inestimable value as a household medicine, and for professional use. Thousands of physicians and families testify to its great worth. Jas. E. Moling, Hilliard, Ohio, writes: "I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for twelve years, and have found that, as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, or Sore Throats, it

Is Unequaled.

J. I. Miller, editor of the "Lutheran Home," Luray, Va., writes: "I advertise nothing that I do not know to be good. I was saved from the grave, I am sure, by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and have recommended it to others with the happiest results." L. J. Addison, M. D., Chicago, Ill., writes: "I have never found, in thirty-five years of continuous study and practice in medicine, any preparation of so great value as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, for treatment of diseases of the throat and lungs; and I constantly recommend it to my patients. It not only breaks up colds and cures severe coughs, but is effective in relieving the most serious bronchial and pulmonary affections."

John J. Uhlman, Brooklyn, N.S., writes: "Twelve years ago, I was afflicted with a severe bronchial trouble, pronounced by a skilful physician to be very dangerous, and liable to terminate in Pneumonia. After using one bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, I found great relief, and an occasional use of it since that time has, I think, extended my life ten years at least." Mrs. V. M. Thebaud, Montreal, Canada, writes: "Last spring my daughter was attacked by membraneous croup, or diphtheria. The doctor prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which cured her of the diphtheria. Being still very weak and sick, she began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which restored her to vigorous health."

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,
PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., (Analytical Chemists), Lowell, Mass.
For sale by all Druggists.

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DR. TAYLOR
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TELEPHONE—Office, 591; Residence, 587. oc28

DR. GEO. REICH,
SURGEON, OCULIST, AURIST AND LARYNGOSCOPIST,
P. O. Box 487. oct11 3m TACOMA, W. T.

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SAIL DUCK, ALL NUMBERED
DUCKS, 2/0 TO 12/0,
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From 30 to 120 inches wide and 28½ inch Duck from 7 ozs. to 15 ozs, inclusive.
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TO COAL CONSUMERS.
The Vancouver Coal Mining and Land Co. (Limited)
Are now prepared to supply Consumers DIRECT FROM THEIR COLLIERIES with the
BEST HOUSEHOLD COAL
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PRICE, $7 PER TON OF 2000 LBS.
The Coal will be hand picked and delivered in sacks of 100 lbs. each to prevent delay. Orders to be sent to the Company at NANAIMO, and to be accompanied by Post Office Order or Check.
The Coal will be delivered at the consumer's residence or place of business within
TWO DAYS
OF RECEIPT OF ADVICE.
SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
no22 1m Superintendent.

IMPERIAL
FEDERATION LEAGUE
LIVERPOOL BRANCH.
THE OFFICES OF THIS BRANCH OF THE Imperial Federation League are now open at CHICAGO BUILDINGS, STANLEY ST, LIVERPOOL
All Colonists passing through Liverpool are cordially invited to make use of the rooms of the branch for correspondence and other purposes.
The publications of the League may be seen there, and all Colonial papers received are filed for reference.
The Committee will be glad of communications upon all matters of Colonial interest. Information will be gladly offered by the Hon. Secretary respecting Colonial Exhibition of 1886; the doings of the National Association for promoting State Directed Emigration and Colonization; the Movement for Improvement of Local Defence, and upon other matters of Colonial interest. fy15dwtf

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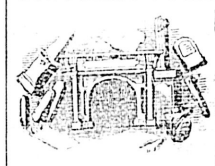
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PARTICULAR NOTICE.
AS ANDREW JACKSON ESTES HAS REFUSED to pay house rent or support his family in future, this is to give notice that neither I nor any other member of his family will be responsible for any debts contracted by him; and I forbid any person or persons having, taking from or giving to the said A. J. Estes any money on account of any of my transactions without my written order, as he has no voice nor right to interfere in my affairs, and has been forbidden to come to my premises.
EMILY R. ESTES.
Victoria, Nov. 2nd, 1885. no2

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS--POISON
$25 REWARD WILL BE PAID BY THE UNdersigned for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person found shooting pheasants or trespassing on the McNeil Estate. All persons are warned that POISON for Dogs has been laid on the estate.
W. McNEIL, Jr.
Victoria, 12th Oct., 1885. oc13 2m

NOTICE.
ALL OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS OWING TO me must be paid before December 1st, 1885, or legal proceedings will be taken to recover the same.
N. B.—Good endorsed paper bearing interest accepted.
oc6 2m SAM'L CLAY.

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ESTABLISHMENT.
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GRASS, CLOVER AND ALL OTHER SORTS OF SEEDS
Can be obtained from the above at
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In quanties to suit.
Send for our priced Catalogues, which will be forwarded Post Free on application, and compare our prices with those charged by foreign dealers, who are sending their agents through the province to take orders and whose trees are half dead when they arrive
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Belonging to a Church Bazaar. no17 1w

WILLIAM LENNOX,
CHIMNEY SWEEPER.
FLUES REPAIRED AND KEPT IN ORDER.
TERMS REASONABLE.
ORDERS may be left at the London Hotel, corner of Johnson and Broad streets. Note the Address.
no10 1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Victoria, Lake, North and South Saanich Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1884. Tax collectible on and after 2nd January, 1885.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Tax.	Description of the Parcels, Sec. or Lots.	Amt.
Sullivan, Henry	Real Property	Part of Section 61, 2 acres, Victoria District	$ 1 50
Branch, Samuel	" "	Part of Section 28, 3½ acres, "	2 25
Pollard, Wm.	"	Lots 2 and 3, Section 4, 4½ acres, "	15 75
Smith, Phil.	"	Lot 24, Section 4, 914-1000 acres, "	1 50
Williams, R. T.	"	" 37, " 4, 2-483 acres "	8 00
do	"	" 38, " 4, 2-391 acres "	8 00
Draper, Catherine	"	" 2, " 5, 1 acre "	2 25
Porter, James	"	" 9, " 5, 2 acres "	4 50
Page, Sophia	"	Part of Lot 14, Section 5, ½ acre "	1 83
Estes, Emily R.	"	" Section 7, 3 acres "	7 50
Wilson, Thomas	"	" " 10, 1 acre "	75
do	"	" " 11, 1 acre "	75
Green, R. E.	"	" " 19, ¾ acre "	1 50
do	"	" " 68, 1½ acres "	4 50
Huntington & Dalby	" and wild land	" " 31, 5 acres "	2 80
Unknown	" property	" Lot 23, Section 30, 4¾ acres "	2 50
Watson A.	" and wild land	Lot 25, Section 30, 3 acres, "	1 68
Mason, John	" "	" 27 and 28, Section 30, 6 acres "	8 88
Pendolo, Angelo F.	" "	" 50, Sections 29 and 30, 5 acres "	2 55
Fox, Charles	" property	" 4, Section 36, 14-92 acres "	3 00
Kwong Lee & Co (Fin.ton)	"	Part of Section 44, 6 acres "	
do do	"	Lot 15, 44 acres, "	9 66
do do	"	Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Sec. 44, 35½ ac. "	
Pung Tay	" and personal	Lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Sec. 44, 29 ac. "	
do	" "	Lots 19, 20, 21 and 22, " 28 ac. "	12 50
Shepard, John S.	" and wild land	Lots 41 and 42, " 10 ac. "	3 10
Morrissey, Michael	" property	Part of Lot 2, Section 45, 40 acres, "	4 00
Hind, Robert	"	Part of Section 63, 2½ acres "	2 50
Leary, William	"	" " 74, 6¾ " "	5 76
Cook, John	"	" " 74, 1-4 " "	83
Dupont, C. T.	"	" " 74, 5-79 " "	16 00
Tway, John E.	"	N. part of Section 28, 67 acres "	8 00
Dillon, B F.	Real and wild land	Sections 58, 61, 68, 69 and 71, 403 acres, Lake Dist.	80 93
Allsop, Thomas	" "	Part of Section 71, 3 acres, Lake District	48
Clarke, W. R.	" "	W. ½ of Section 72 and part of Sec. 73 and 74, 162 ac. L. D.	11 22
Pitts, J. S., & Caton A J T	" "	Section 93 and 94, 241 acres, Lake District	17 46
Foot, William	Real property	Section 100, 101½ acres "	12 50
Maltby, Thomas & Richard	"	W. ½ of Section 108, 22 acres "	1 65
Brown, J. H.	"	Sections 135 and 136, 118 acres "	3 00
Styles, S. T.	" and wild land	Section 61, 82 acres "	5 82
Scott, Edmund	" "	Section 3, Range I.E., 100 acres, South Saanich Dist.	8 25
Garrett, Joseph	" "	Section 41, 100 acres, Lake District	11 00

And, in accordance with the law, I hereby give notice that I shall offer for sale, by Public Auction, any lands of persons assessed by me on which Taxes, including Personal Property tax, together with the cost of advertising and other expenses, remaining unpaid on the day of sale.

Under the Statute, persons liable to pay taxes imposed by the Assessment Acts are personally liable for the amount thereof, and all lands of such persons situate within the Province are also liable therefor. The taxes are a charge on such lands, having preference over any claim, lien, privilege, or incumbrance of any party, except the Crown, and does not require Registration to preserve it.

The above sale will take place on Monday, 7th December, 1885, at the Government Buildings, James' Bay, Victoria, at 12 o'clock noon.

C. BOOTH,
Victoria, B. C. 29th October, 1885. *Assessor and Collector.*

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Barclay, Coast, Rupert, Sayward and Queen Charlotte Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1884. Tax collectible on and after 2nd January, 1885.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Taxes	Description of the Parcels, Sections, or Lots.	Amt.
Pollard, William	Real and wild land	½ of N. E. ¼ of Section 18, 26 acres, Barclay District	$ 1 68
W. R. Clarke	" "	S. E. ¼ of Section 28, 150 acres, " "	9 75
Croasdale, H. E.	" "	Lots 2 and 3, Block 1, 45 acres, Coast District	23 79
do	" "	Lot 2, Range 5 160 acres "	
do	" "	Lot 10, Range 5, 160 acres "	
Dempster, W. H.	" "	Lot 15, Block 1, 160 acres "	10 40
Reid, James	" "	Lot 7, Range 2, 124 acres "	8 06
Clarke, W. R., and others.	" "	Lot 13 Range 1, 2,440 acres "	158 60
Clarke, W. R.	" "	Lots 14 and 15, Range 1, 1,026 ac. "	66 70
Wilson, J.	" "	Lot 6 Range 5, 15 acres "	97
McKenzie, Alexander	" "	Section 7, 1,103 acres, Queen Charlotte Island	71 70
Clarke, W. R.	" "	Section 2, 500 acres, Rupert District	32 50
Miller, James	" "	Section 14, 160 acres, Sayward District	10 40
do	" "	Section 24, 90 acres, "	5 85

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SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Esquimalt, Highland, Metchosin, and Sooke Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1884. Tax collectible on and after 2nd January, 1885.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Taxes	Description of the Parcels, Sections, or Lots.	Amt.
Yee Soo Chung	Real property	Part of Lot 12, Sub. Lots 19 and 21, Esquimalt Dist.	$ 3 00
Gossett, W. D	"	Lot 21 " " "	1 50
Dall, W. L.	"	¼ of Sub. Lot 34, 1¾ acres "	10 50
do	"	" " 33, 1¾ " "	
do	"	" " 49, 3½ " "	
do	"	½ of Lot 1, Sub. Lot 51, ¾ acre "	
Trounce, Thomas	"	Lot 7, " 43, " "	37
Chilovick, E.	"	Lot 18, " 43. " "	
do	"	E. ½ of Lot 24 and all of 25, Sub Lot 43, "	1 12
Powell, I. W., Dr.	"	Lots 1 and 2, Sub. Lots 45 and 37, "	
do	"	" 23, 24, 46, 47, 48, 49, Sub. L. 45 and 37,	
do	"	" 85, 86 and 87 " "	6 32
do	"	" 2, Section 26, 1 acre " "	
Scanlan, Timothy	"	Lots 31, 32, 33, 34, 40, 41, 42, 43, S. L. 45 and 87, E. D.	2 40
Young, Emily Mrs.	"	Lot 22, Sub. Lots 19 and 21, Esquimalt District	7 50
Bruce, Josephine	"	W. ½ of Lot 5 and E. ½ of L. 6, Sec. 31, Lime Bay, E.D	75
Nagle, Jeremiah, estate of	"	W. ½ of Lot 6 and all of Lot 7 " "	63
" "	"	W. ½ of Lot 7, Sub. Lot 51, Esquimalt District	75
Tuttle, Guy	"	Part of Lot 18, Section 31, Lime Bay, Esquimalt Dis.	45
Nagle, C.	"	" 20, " " "	87
Orr, Cyrus	"	" 23, " " "	37
Harvey, C. B. H.	"	Lots 22 and 26, " " "	75
Prothers, Catherine	"	Lot 51, " " "	38
Reid, Robert	"	Lot 27, " Victoria West "	5 00
Gerow, G. C.	"	Lots 37, 37a, 38, 49 and 49a, Sec. 31, Victoria W., E.D	6 00
Clarke, W. R.	"	Lots 53 and 55, Sec. 31, Victoria west, Esquimalt Dis	75
Wark, Margaret	"	N. ½ of Lot 64 " " "	60
Wren, John, estate of	"	Part of Lot 72 " " "	38
Tatlow, R. G.	"	Lots 105 and 106 " " "	75
Butcher, T H.	"	Sub.-Div. 26 of Lot 104 & 27 of 113, Sec. 31, V. W., E.D	25
Tatlow, R. G.	"	Lots 117, 118, 119 and 120, S. 31, Vic. W., Esqu. Dist.	1 50
do	"	Lots 153 and 154, Sec. 31, Victoria West, Esqu. Dist.	75
Beaumont, William	"	1 acre of Sec. 31, Springfield Estate, Esquimalt Dist.	1 50
Burrows, J. G.	"	Lot and 2, 1 part of 5 and all of 6, Sec. 32, S. of old rd	7 50
Keller, J. P.	"	acres of Sub. Lot 50, Esquimalt District (E. D.	20 36
Sandford, B. H. estate of	"	Section 64, 99½ acres, Esquimalt District	3 00
Maltby, Richard	Real and personal	" 2, 6 and 9, 323 " Highland District	12 25
Maltby, Thomas estate of	Real property	" 5, 65 " "	1 50
Porier, Joseph	"	" 23, 80 " Sooke District	2 62
Baker, Thomas	"	" 24, 100 " "	3 00
Saunders, Henry	Real and wild land	" 30, 31 and 48, 368 acres "	27 61
Salmond, William	" "	" 37, 143 " "	9 83
Kaye, F.	" "	" 62 and 68, 143 " "	10 38
Cartwright, William	Real property	Pre-emption No 1,516, 73 " "	2 25

And, in accordance with the law, I hereby give notice that I shall offer for sale, by Public Auction, any lands of persons assessed by me on which taxes, including Personal Property Tax, together with the cost of advertising and other expenses, emaining unpaid on the day of sale.

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The above sale will take place on Monday, 7th December, 1885, at the Government Buildings, James' Bay, Victoria, at 12 o'clock, noon.

C. BOOTH,
Victoria, B. C., 20th October, 1885. *Assessor and Collector.*

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 25TH, 1885.

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THE DEFENCE OF INDIA.

A great scheme for the defence of India is said to have been adopted. The cost is said to be no less than £80,000,000 sterling, to be spent in eight or ten years. The plan includes the dependencies of Singapore, Ceylon, Aden, Bombay and Kurrachee. The latter place will be a most important post. In pursuance of the new scheme proposed for the protection of India a railway will be made to Pishin, passing through a strongly entrenched camp there. The Kojack Pass is to be fortified and a powerful post created at Chumar, which will be the terminus of the railway. From thence to Candahar all the earthworks and bridges are to be made so that rails can be laid down in a few days. It is also proposed to have the earthworks and bridges prepared for a railway from Candahar to Cabul. The scheme for the defence of India shows that Pishawur is to be strongly fortified and a strong post established at Jumrood, and a strategic line of rails to be laid along the banks of the Indus, connecting the posts of Robat, Deva Ismail, Khan Attock, etc. The plan, moreover, provides that harbors of refuge for women, children, sick and invalid are to be formed at the hill stations of Murra, Dalhousie and Kasauli.

Nuts for the Coal Harborites to Crack.

To THE EDITOR:—The Daily Times of Saturday contained a letter by "Amicus," in which you are the friendly recipient of much criticism which, whatever its failings, is not open to the charge of flattery. The personal portions of "Amicus'" letter I do not wish to criticize, but I would like to say a few words in questioning the accuracy of certain statements made as to the injurious effects upon Victoria of the extension of the Canadian Pacific railway to English Bay.

"Amicus" asserts that "two-thirds of all the merchandise landed at our docks is intended for and is consumed upon the mainland," and that "immediately upon the opening of the C. P. R. two-thirds of the present trade of Victoria will have to forsake it." The heavy expenditure upon railway construction on the mainland and the large number of men employed upon that work did, no doubt, increase greatly the consumption of goods on the mainland, but "Amicus'" estimate of two-thirds of the goods imported into Victoria as having been consumed on the mainland strikes me as much too high. It would be interesting to have the data by which "Amicus" "knows" such to be the case.

As the consumption of imported goods per head of a city population is usually estimated at double that of an agricultural one, and three times that of railway workers, my own belief is that of the goods imported into Victoria about one-third are consumed within the city and district. Now that railway work has ceased on the mainland and thousands of hands have left this province and other thousands have come to Vancouver island, the consumption of goods on the mainland has perceptibly diminished and the proportion of imports into Victoria for consumption on the mainland has greatly decreased. I will remind "Amicus" that over three hundred thousand dollars' worth of goods per month continue to arrive at Victoria, and that so small is the transfer of goods to the mainland that from the first of next month one train per week is considered ample by the Dominion government to supply the requirements of the interior. This indicates only a small consumption of goods by the mainland compared with Vancour island and nothing approaching to the two-thirds claimed by "Amicus."

Now, as to the statement that "upon the opening of the C. P. R. two-thirds of the present trade of Victoria will have to forsake it," I think I can prove to "Amicus" that he is laboring under a delusion. "Amicus" appears to think that the imports into the port of Victoria all come from Canada by Northern Pacific rail and that when the C. P. R. is completed they will be diverted to that line and so cut off the two-thirds which he states the mainland consumes from the trade of Victoria. Now, the facts are these: The total imports into the port of Victoria for the year ending 30th June were about four and a half millions. Of this sum nearly three and a half millions were from the United Kingdom and foreign ports and under one million from the eastern provinces of Canada.

So far as the imports from Great Britain by sailing vessels, from San Francisco by steamers, and by ships from China and other countries, there is not the slightest probability of these being affected by the opening of the Canadian Pacific Railway as the merchants who make the importations are located right here and have no intention of going elsewhere. These importations, it will be observed, comprise nearly three-fourths of the imports into Victoria. Of the remaining one fourth from the eastern provinces which will come by rail more than one-half is for consumption on Vancouver Island. For this trade the C. P. railway will have to compete with the Northern Pacific railway, and the probability is that it will be equally divided between the two lines. Even the trade of the Fraser valley will be a matter of competition between the rival companies, and all that the C. P. R. has undisputed possession of is the interior trade above Yale. Some years ago before railway construction commenced and when road tolls were imposed I had occasion to make an estimate of the interior trade, and I was surprised to find that the goods paying toll at Yale were less than fifteen per cent. of Victoria's imports. As the interior of B. C. has not developed more rapidly than its coast, now that railway work is through fifteen, or if you like, twenty per cent. is about what the interior can be expected to consume of eastern provinces' goods imported into B. C. As in some portions of the interior the Chinese are more numerous than the whites, and John consumes mostly Chinese goods and next to nothing Canadian, I am confident that in naming twenty per cent. I name outside figures.

Assuming, for the sake of argument, that the C. P. R. obtains the whole traffic of the mainland in eastern goods imported, the result would only be that Victoria would lose half a million out of her four and a half millions of imports, or about eleven per cent, instead of losing three millions or seventy five per cent. as claimed by "Amicus" without any proof whatever.

In my opinion Victoria is more likely to suffer from the cessation of railway construction than from its diversion by the completion of the C. P. R.

W. W.

The Sunday Law.

To THE EDITOR:—There was a time when we of this city could spend our seventh day holiday as we thought best. Like the men of another certain city, we dwelt secure, doing that which was right in our own eyes, and were not in bondage to any man. When in the church or chapel you did not look with pharisaical pity on the brother who did not go; neither did the latter return the compliment with a sneer for weaknesses not his own, but socially we were all jolly good fellows. During these few late years a change has come by the advent of a few meddlesome individuals who were alien to our principles and disposition. Looking with a jaundiced eye on our social elysium they have interfered where interference was uncalled for, and stirred up strife by meddling with things better left alone. These men, aided by a sparse few of our old residents—men who by little schemings and nice conspiracies in the past (which for the present shall be nameless) have buttered their bread on both sides. I say these men have brought their old time tactics to bear. The result, a Sunday law, which is about as suitable for this city as a sailor's hornpipe would be in the devotional programme of a religious meeting house. I have no doubt of Councilman McKillican's sincerity in thus saddling us with a relic of domineering fanaticism in his measures straining after public morality. He no doubt earns the glorification of his own particular clique, but we have yet to see whether coercive bigotry, or that intolerance which would make proselytes by persecution, will meet with public endorsement in this city. One word about saloon keepers: It is the fashion in certain meeting houses for the bitterest aspersions to be cast on them, in season and out of season. I say this that men whether in the pulpit or on the platform, who will malign the character of others simply on account of their calling, portray themselves as ignorant brawlers, more fitted for the lowest haunts of evil-doers than the position they have had the presumption to fill.

S.

Sunday Shooting.

To THE EDITOR:—Please allow me space to enter my protest against an idea that seems to prevail in the minds of some Victoria sportsmen that when they cross the gulf they may leave behind them all regard for conventionalities, and do what they would not be allowed to do, or dream of doing, in England or about Victoria itself.

We have long ago been familiarized with the Victorian idea that there is no "society" on the mainland, but there are Christian people amongst us, at all events, with a Christian regard for Sunday, and who object strongly to have their Christian instincts rudely trampled on with no more consideration than would be shown for Siwashes or Chinamen.

English gentlemen should not change this nature when *trans mare currunt*, and least of all should they transgress the laws of gentle blood and breeding when their example, whether good or bad, will certainly leave its mark behind, to the credit or the discredit of their class, and to the moral elevation or injury of their social inferiors.

A. W. NEW WESTMINSTER.

LADNER'S LANDING, B.C., Nov. 23, 1885.

More Clergymen!

To THE EDITOR:—A circular has been lately sent throughout the diocese of British Columbia, and in that circular is a special invocation for funds wherewith to pay the passages of clergymen from England to fill vacancies in the church of England in Cowichan, Alberni, and, I think, Esquimalt. Now, I think this appeal rather peculiar seeing that but a short time ago Mr. Malachi returned to England having no occupation here, and Canon Dwyer is unemployed. It is time that this practice of bringing clergymen from England ceased. A long list of names from the now forgotten Garrett down to Malachi is still fresh in the minds of church members in this province. Let the different parishes choose their own clergymen and let those clergymen remain so long as the parish is satisfied with their ministrations, and they do not commit any error to seriously justify their removal. But this foisting clergymen on parishes where they are not welcome, and when the parishes are not consulted must come to an end. It is to be hoped that before any funds are subscribed for any more of these dutiously useful purposes there will be a meeting of the synod of this diocese. It would be a great deal better to properly pay and support the clergymen who are at present in the outside parishes than to import more unless they are able, in very vulgar language, to live on the smell of an oil rag.

A CHURCH MEMBER.

Victoria, 24th Nov. 1885.

"Consistency, Thou Art a Jewel."

To THE EDITOR:—The events of late years have not tended to enhance the reputation of the Dominion authorities for either common sense or legal acumen. Their last piece of stupidity and inconsistency, in connection with the family of Mr. Moore, seems to cap the climax. Its inconsistency may be judged from the fact that the census enumerators in 1881 were specially instructed, at least in the district where I resided at the time, that in all cases of mixed marriages the nationality of the offspring was to be governed by the nationality of the *father*.

SIMON CELT.

CACHE CREEK, Nov. 20th.

National Debts.

To THE EDITOR:—Can you state the national debts of Russia, Germany, Austria, England and France? G P.

[Russia—$2,890,000,000 (foreign and internal), besides a railway debt of $750,000,000. German Empire—Funded debt (Oct. 1, 1884), $102,750,000; unfunded, $36,211,390. Austria—$2 542,001,635. Great Britain—$3,732,118,470. France—$3,930,584,845, total consolidated debt. It is said by a writer on the subject that if the total liabilities of France were capitalized they would amount to something like 1,000 millions sterling, or $5,000,000,000.]

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THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

A Scotch View of the Grand Achievement.

The Mission of the New Route.

The "Northwest Passage" by Land.

(Scotsman, Nov. 3rd.)

A score of years ago, or less, the notion of travelling from Liverpool to the waters of the Pacific in the Georgian strait in twelve or fourteen days, would have been scouted as some wild dream of Jules Verne's. Within that space of time, the Canadian Pacific Railway scheme has been incubated, has passed through more than its share of trials, reverses, and difficulties, and has at length been brought to the very climax of successful completion. After the present week, Messrs. Gaze or Cook may, when they please, add to their specially conducted tours the excursion "to the Pacific and back within a month, by Lake Nepigon, Kicking Horse Pass, and the Fraser River." Yesterday, through passenger trains began to run over the 2244 miles of road from Montreal to Stephen Station, on the western side of the main range of the Rocky mountains. Some time ago, the section of the line in British Columbia was completed by the Canadian government as far as Kamloops, on the Thompson fork of the Fraser. The intervening gap of 300 miles, where the road is carried over the gorges of the Columbia river, and the dense forests and intricate passes of the Selkirk range, is that which presented the greatest engineering difficulties of the track. All obstacles have been successfully surmounted, and if the calculations of the officials are fulfilled, complete railway communication will be established from Montreal to Burrard Inlet by Saturday. Even in these days of rapid transit, it is difficult to realise all that is implied for the Canadian Dominion and for British commerce and political influence in the opening up of a railway track from ocean to ocean on British territory. This is not the first time that the North American continent has been bridged by an iron pathway. Already the Union and Central, the Souther and the Northern Pacific roads exist on United States soil. Great as is our commercial stake in these important works, we cannot regard them as touching us so nearly in our Imperial interests and pride as the Canadian Pacific. It may be looked upon as a supreme sign of enterprise and energy of our great North American colony—a proof that it has attained, or is rapidly approaching, political and commercial maturity.

The history of the scheme it is, perhaps, well not to enter upon in detail. The subject is beset with the thorns and briars of Canadian party controversy, and it is not easy nor very profitable to seek a way through them. It is probable, nay certain, that from first to last there has been a good deal of bad financing and blundering engineering, of waste, and jobbery, and political intrigue. There may be much to be said on the part of those who hold that the wrong point of departure, the wrong crossing of the Rockies, and the wrong terminus on the Pacific were chosen. Up to the 30th of June last year, the Dominion government had subsidized the line with a total bonus of fifty-three millions of dollars, and had granted besides, loans to the sum of thirty millions of dollars—its aid, apart from the vast land grants and other privileges and concessions, thus amounting to considerably over twenty millions of pounds sterling. A good deal of this expenditure has gone in directions that will not bear investigation. But let the work be looked at as a whole. It cannot be questioned that it is one to which Canadians can point with pride. A people who can undertake and carry through such a scheme, while still numbering only some four millions and scattered over half a continent, are destined for great things. The opening up of the Northwest territory by a line passing to the north of Lake Superior will have the most vital effects on the development of Canada's commerce, and on the rapid settlement of her unoccupied agricultural lands. The existence, as an available field for emigration, of the vast open prairies in the valleys of the Red river, the Saskatchewan and the Mackenzie, is a revelation of the last generation. Less than thirty years ago, Winnipeg itself, now a city of 40,000 inhabitants, was represented by a handful of log huts. The descendants of Lord Selkirk's Highland settlers and of the French voyageurs formed little colonies in the neighborhood but they were almost as completely cut off from communication with the world without as if they had been in the centre of Africa. The real frontier of Canadian civilization lay far to the eastward; to the west and north the country was given up to the trapper, the red man, and the bison, and law and order was represented by Hudson Bay Company posts hundreds of miles apart. The Rocky mountains and the country on both flanks of them was a *terra incognita*; to journey thither was an adventurous and daring enterprise—a work of months; to pass the bourne and struggle through forests of gigantic pine, with their undergrowth of skunk-cabbage and devils-club, as Milton and Cheadle did was a nine days' wonder, a "Northwest Passage by land," almost as worthy of being marvelled at as the "North-West Passage by sea." The settlers on the Red river might raise crops but there was no market for their produce. Consequently the colony long remained nearly stationary in population and prosperity. As soon, however, as the westward march of emigration reached this great unoccupied tract, as soon as a way of entrance and exit was discovered a remarkable transformation took place. Population is now pouring in by tens of thousands every year; and Manitoba and the provinces to the west and northwest of it promise to become among the most valuable and productive possessions of the British crown. The great objects of the Canadian Pacific Railway are to gather and develop the productions of this new country, and direct them towards the older Lake provinces, and to form a link of connection between the eastern portion of the Dominion and British Columbia.

So long as the section, 650 miles in length, between Callander, in western Ontario, and Port Arthur, on Lake Superior, was unfinished, the first of these objects was only half secured. For some time the line has been in operation from Port Arthur to Calgary; Manitoban grain and other produce have been finding their way to the markets of the east, and travelers from England have been able to find their way to the foot of the Rockies in thirteen or fourteen days from Liverpool. But resort had to be made to United States lines; even on the route by the lakes, which was not available during the winter, the territory of the republic had to be passed through at the Sault Ste. Marie entrance of Superior. There were commercial disadvantages to this, but still more important, perhaps, were the political considerations involved. Mr. Sandford Fleming, the first engineer-in-chief of the Canadian line, has shown proof that the risk of prospective interruption from diplomatic causes is not a mere illusory fear, by quoting from General Grant's message to congress during the fisheries dispute of 1880, asking that power should be conferred on the executive to "suspend by proclamation the operation of the law authorizing the transit of goods, wares, and merchandise in bond across the territory of the United States to Canada." Other reasons for desiring the entire control of the route to the northwest and the Pacific, and the completion of the work at the earliest possible date, were brought sharply before the Canadian people and government during the Riel rebellion of the past summer. The running of a through passenger train yesterday from Montreal to the Rocky Mountain summit is the sign that this great national aspiration has been at length secured. The section from Callander to Port Arthur, on which as many as 10,000 laborers have been at work, is never likely to be of itself commercially remunerative. It has capabilities of development as a lumber country, and it contains some remarkable scenery. But it is, in the main, to be viewed merely as a road cut through a labyrinth of dense forest, winding lakelets, and quaking bog, as an access to the valuable open country beyond. Nor is it likely that the portion of the line constructed through the heart of the Rocky and Selkirk ranges will ever repay, by local traffic, the cost of building it. The scenery is magnificent; there are peaks and passes, precipices and glaciers worthy of Switzerland; and the highest summits rival in height the giants of the Alps. There are atmospheric effects and contrasts to be seen in passing through these mountains such as perhaps can be witnessed nowhere else, and certainly not on the United States lines further south, for the traveller is not ushered from a dry region to one still more arid and bare, but from the pure, clear air and sparse vegetation of the plains to the intense greenness and humidity of the Pacific watershed. The line will in time, doubtless, be much resorted to by the tourist; but it is as the access to the great mineral and forest region of British Columbia, and as the gateway to the Pacific, that it derives its political and commercial importance. Its function is that of a main nerve in the great system of British commerce—of a steel link binding more firmly the North American colonies to the empire.

Live Cattle Trade.

Mr. A. J. Thompson (Thompson, Flannagan & Co.), who had been in England for several months attending to the interests of his firm, returned last week on the Allan liner Caspian. Mr. Thompson, who, during the season, has handled close on 12,000 cattle in the various markets of England and Scotland, reports business as the worst ever known. Despite the low freights current during the greater part of the year, he is of opinion that both ocean and inland charges, as well as rates for cattle, will have to be considerably lowered before the live stock exporter can handle beasts in England at a profit. Prices have, it is alleged, been maintained at a fictitiously high figure in Canada through the reports of salesmen anxious to form a Dominion connection, and who, neglecting the most elementary principles of business, accepted drafts against shipments, which when realized left balances on the wrong side. The evil of such trading is apparent. The Live Stock Association of Canada, of which Mr. Thompson is vice president, is likely to take up this subject.—*Canadian Gazette.*

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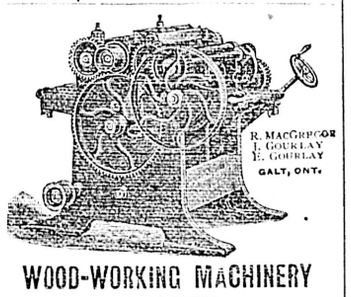

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Personal.

Mr. John Hyde, of Chicago, who so charmingly described the wonderland of the Northern Pacific, arrived in Victoria yesterday and will spend some time here. We understand it is with the intention of painting with his eloquent pen the beauties of the western terminus of the great northern road that Mr. Hyde has come to Victoria.

Mr. C. E. Perry, C. E., and bride arrived by yesterday's steamer and are registered at the Driard. They were here met with a profusion of elegant presents from their many friends. The happy couple have been visiting at Monterey and other California watering places.

Monsignor Capel will shortly visit this city.

Mr. Otto J. Klotz, who left for Ottawa yesterday by the Olympian, took with him several November rosebuds, to astonish and delight the eyes of the denizens of the capital city.

Lady Lansdowne has arrived at Ottawa from England.

Schelling, the man who married millionaire Morosini's daughter, has become a street-car conductor.

Lord and Lady Mayo, who are spending their honeymoon at Goodwood, were thrown from a carriage recently. Both were injured, the former seriously and the latter, it is feared, fatally.

Mr. D. H. McNeil, government guide, leaves this morning for Salmon river by the Boscowitz to secure witnesses for the late murder of an Indian by Telegan.

Messrs. John Macfarlane, Savona; H. Brockman, Saanich; T. S. Higginson, Ottawa; A. R. Johnston, Chemainus, and F. L. Budlong, Farwell, are at the Oriental.

Mr. J. E. Wordworth, M. P. P., returned from Granville yesterdey and is at the Oriental.

Mr. H. P. Bell, C. E. (Bell, Larkin & Patterson), and Mrs. Bell came down on the Amelia yesterday and are at the Driard.

The New Outfit.

Mr. H. H. Abbott, C. E., who was with General Manager Van Horne's party during their recent visit here, has accepted the general superintendency of the western division of the Canadian Pacific railway, from the summit of the Rockies to its terminus on the Pacific, and will also superintend the construction of the branch line and the extension to English bay. With him will be associated Mr. S. Cambie, C. E., who has been connected with railway construction in this province since its commencement. Mr. Abbott was connected with the work of construction north of Lake Superior, which is of a similar character to the Onderdonk work. He is now engaged in finishing up the work in the Selkirks, and will probably arrive at this end by the first of January.

An offer was made by Mr. Abbott the other day to the telegraph operators in the employ of Mr. Onderdonk to retain them in the employ of the syndicate, at an average salary of $50 per month. The present average salary is $80 per month

Mr. Cambie has asked for tenders for clearing a portion of the syndicate town site, and also for the getting out of a large quantity of railroad ties, piles and timber to be used on the New Westminster branch and English bay extension.

Assize Notes.

The grand jury are requested to meet at the legislative assembly at 10 a. m, when the following cases will be laid before them: Emory, Minor alias Lynor, Morris, Marwick and LeClair, Theyer, Elliott and Davie, Ah Moon, Ah Hong, Fan Tuck Ten, Kit Long, Tuck Chong, Chin Ah You.

The chief justice will sit at 12 o'clock in the legislative assembly to dispose of the above cases.

Mr. Justice Gray will hear the continuation of the case against Yorke at 10 a. m. in the court house.

As an illustration of the unusually heavy criminal calendar is the fact that two courts are being simultaneously held for the trial of prisoners at the present assizes.

SOME PEOPLE SAY, and Hy. Gribble says so too, that he has captured Santa Claus, bag and baggage, and will sell Christmas and New Year's Gifts at trade prices until after the holidays. Christmas and New Year's cards at half-price. HY. GRIBBLE, Government, st., next R. B. C.*

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Autumn Assizes.

(Before Hon. Mr. Justice Gray.)

SECOND DAY.

The court opened at 11 a.m.

CRIMINAL ASSAULT.

Francis M. Yorke, charged with having feloniously attempted to ravish one Josephine Pettingill. A lesser charge—one of common assault was also included in the indictment.

Mr. Theodore Davie, assisted by Mr. W. N. Bole, for the defence; Mr. S. P. Mills for the prosecution.

The following jury was empanelled: William Mann, William Body, S. F. Macintosh, J. W. Armstrong (foreman), J. E. Blackmore, W. G. Lawson, G. Lyall, Willis Bond, F. Jeffrey, James Boyd, P. Carr, Robert Cressford.

Mr. Mills, in opening the case for the prosecution said, that to prove the first count it was necessary to establish that the defendant committed the assault with carnal intent. Yorke had resided in Pettingill's house about a year. On 21st August prosecutor was away from home. That night, in the absence of her husband, she took her children to her own bed. Yorke came in about eight or nine o'clock and went to the door of Mrs. Pettingill's room upon several pretexts. He finally entered the room only partially dressed, and getting upon the bed, "muzzled" her, to use his own words. She screamed and Yorke ran out of the room crying "My God, my God!" Pettingill, upon his return being informed of the affair, rushed out of his house determined to have revenge and to take the law into his own hands. He was aware that Yorke carried firearms, and better counsel prevailing he caused York's arrest on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. With regard to the gravity of the charge he naturally hesitated, out of consideration for the feelings of his wife, to bring the latter into court, though upon Yorke's return to Victoria he had felt it his duty to do. He would first call the prosecutrix.

Before the evidence of the witness was taken, by request of Mr. T. Davie, Mr. Pettingill went out of court.

The evidence of Mrs. Pettingill elicited during the examination in chief was to the same purport as that given by her at the preliminary trial.

The court having adjourned for one hour, Mr. Bole, for the defence, cross-examined the witness at some length. He finally requested her to take a pencil and write the following words: "Dear sir: I beg to send you a pocket book which my little boy picked up on the street. Mr. Pettingill knows all about it, but he does not want to have anything to do with it, so I keep the money found in the book as my reward. Yours, Mrs. Pettingill."

"Now," said Mr. Bole, "do you recollect writing a letter like that to a Mr. F. W. Weldon?"

The witness replied that she never had, adding, "My husband never told me about the pocket-book lost by Weldon. To-day is the first time I ever heard tell of it, and I am very much surprised to hear of it now. In company with Mrs. Howe I found some matches in Yorke's room; they were there in the morning; I have just this minute thought of it.

Mr. Bole—"What kind of a place is the skating rink? You know I am a stranger here."

His lordship (to counsel)—"Do you mean to say you don't know the skating rink?"

Mr. Bole—"Not the one in Victoria, my lord."

His lordship (in a tone of surprise)—"Don't you?" (Laughter.)

Examination continued—"I never heard the front door bang while Yorke was at my bedroom door." After considerable cross examination witness admitted that she may have heard of a paragraph in *The Colonist* saying that the police had had a warrant in their possession for over two months for the arrest of a young man who had been in the town all the time. To a question put to the witness as to whether she knew of Yorke being told that if he stayed out of the country he would not be prosecuted, she replied that she could not say. This caused his lordship to say: "It is very evident, whether he was told so or not, that if he stopped out of the country he could not be prosecuted,"—a remark which evoked some merriment. Mr. Bole pointed out to the witness the discrepancy between her deposition at the police court and her statement just made in that (supreme) court as to the exact time when she began screaming. He asked her which statement was right, whereupon witness replied both were. Mr. Bole then said, "Is your memory better now than it was at the time of the occurrence?"

After deliberating a little, witness replied, "Yes."

"That is," queried Mr. Bole, "your memory is like port wine—it improves by keeping?"

Mr. Mills—"Your lordship, I object to my learned friend making such comments during his conduct of the cross examination."

Mr. Bole—"When my learned friend has had more experience he will be able to know better than to keep on jumping up like a jack-in-the-box."

His lordship (to Mr. Bole)—"You should confine yourself to asking the witness what she knows, and not for an opinion. You are probably a much better judge of port wine than she is (laughter), and whether it improves by keeping—that is if you are able to keep it! (Roars of laughter, which prevailed until order was called)

J. W. McAllep deposed to having a conversation with Yorke, on August 22 last, who spoke of having had some trouble at Pettingill's house. All he had then heard in regard to the matter was that Mrs. Pettingill told him not to let Yorke have his latchkey. In his examination-in-chief witness stated that Yorke told him that he (Yorke) left the room without accomplishing his object. This statement was not contained in the police court evidence of the witness, but on being reminded of this fact he re-iterated his assertion that Yorke made the remark to him.

The judge said the statement was a most material one, and that Mr. Davie acted very properly in laying stress on the witness not having given the evidence before, a fact which his lordship said he regarded as significant.

Witness continued that Yorke told him when in Tacoma that it was fortunate witness was married and had not been in the house that night, or else he would have found himself in the same trouble.

Benjamin Pettingill deposed to the steps he took towards obtaining Yorke's arrest. His evidence occupied some time and he was under cross-examination by Mr. T. Davie when the court arose and adjourned until 10 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning.

In the legislative assembly, before Sir M. B. Begbie, Frank Holloway, charged with stealing, was found guilty on the second count—that of receiving goods well knowing the same to have been stolen. Sentence deferred.

In the case of the Queen vs. Thos. McEwen, the prisoner, who was charged with stealing $80 from the person of Wm. Kirkwood in a cabin on Yates street, was found not guilty.

Thos. Hampton, arraigned on the same charge, was found guilty and sentenced to two-and-a-half years in the penitentiary.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before Mr. Edwin Johnson, P. M.]

TUESDAY, Nov. 24.

Samuel Clay, charged with an infraction of the liquor license bylaw. Mr. Bodwell, for the defence, asked an adjournment, which was granted.

John Johnson, for being in possession of an intoxicant in an Indian house, was fined $50 or three months.

Nathan Pointer, summoned on a charge of receiving stolen goods adjourned from Saturday last. Evidence for the defence:

Officer Lindsay—I called at Pointer's store in the morning about 10 o'clock some time last June to notify him that the parsonage had been robbed, and gave him a description of the things. Pointer had already purchased some of the things when I went there first time—I went there three times that day. He showed me a pair of pants and a vest the last time I went. He did not show them to me the first time I went. The vest and pants were all the goods of those stolen from the parsonage that were bought by Pointer. The money he had paid for them was returned to him.

J. E. White—I am a dealer in second hand clothing in Victoria; my store is on Store street; I have been in business about three years; (coat in question examined) this coat is worth to a second hand dealer from $1.50 to $1.75; a second hand dealer cannot sell goods for anything near their value; a new coat that has never been worn cannot be sold in a second hand store for over half its value; people who come to our store expect to get goods cheap; this coat is not worth more than $8 or $9 new; it is of common shoddy goods; I would not swear it was shoddy, but it is of common goods; we often buy stolen goods, not knowing it.

To Mr. Bloomfield—I would ask all I could get if I was selling such a coat. I would take $20; I would sell it, though, for $2, if offered.

Stephen Whitley—I am a dealer in second hand clothing; my store is on Fort street; I have been in business in Victoria 26 years; (examines coat) this coat is not worth over $2 at the outside to a second-hand dealer; I have bought coats superior to this for $1; I keep some new goods; people will not believe that goods are new even if they have the tags on them, if found in a second hand store; people come there to buy goods cheap; this coat would not be worth more than $8.50 new; I can buy them for $6.50 each at Strouss' by the wholesale; we often get stolen goods unknowingly; I am generally paid back my money; it depends on circumstances of the owner whether I demand payment.

The court to Mr. Gannaway, of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken—I will not hear any further argument upon the evidence in this case, but I will hear you if you desire to refer me to any authorities.

Mr. Gannaway then proceeded to read and comment upon various decisions as to the sufficiency of evidence to sustain a charge of receiving stolen goods, and insisted that the bare possession of stolen goods by a second hand dealer was insufficient to make out a prima facie case. There must be some suspicious circumstances connected with the possession, which did not appear in this case, as the defendant bought the coat at a price usual with second hand dealers, exposed it next day at his door for sale, and had not told an untruth about the matter.

The court thought that a jury would not convict upon the evidence adduced, and dismissed the case.

BENEFIT CONCERT.—The Victoria Musical Society held a meeting last evening, at which it was decided to give a grand benefit concert on the 26th December to Mr. Defoe, the man who broke his leg during the theatre construction. The members of the society, 225 in number, have generously consented to give their services, while the theatre company will furnish the use of the theatre without charge. The nature of the concert has not yet been decided, but it is expected a magnificent programme of solos, duets and choruses, vocal and instrumental, including a saxaphone quartette and the old English minuets will be presented. The concert will be under the able leadership of Prof. Pferdner, who has kindly undertaken to train the members of the society for the occasion.

HEAVY SAFES.—The two safes for the Bank of British Columbia vaults arrived yesterday on the Olympian and were landed on the C. P. N. Co.'s wharf. They are from the firm of J. & J. Taylor, Toronto, and each weigh about eight tons. They are exclusively for the stowing of money, and will be placed within the steel-lined vault, which also has burglar-proof doors. It will be almost an impossibility to effect an entrance to the vault, and if such was accomplished there would still be the greater difficulty of gaining access to the inner safes. The latter are consigned to M. W. Waitt & Co., the agents in the province.

A NEW ENTERPRISE.—Pickering & Co. have opened an office on Fort street, between Broad and Douglas, for the purpose of supplying *first class help of all kinds, free of charge*, and those requiring situations at a moderate charge. They have in connection with this a business agency by which, if you want to sell your business, take a partner, rent a house, buy or sell a farm, etc., you can do so. Messrs. Pickering & Co. were the founders of the T. W. T. E. bureau on the Sound some years ago. If you want any help or business matters call on them.

SOCIAL TEA.—A very pleasant time is looked forward to at the social tea and entertainment to be given in the Pandora street Presbyterian church this evening. All friends are cordially invited.

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That the editor of the Times writes himself a letter and signs it "Merchant," to assure his readers that Coal Harbor won't hurt Victoria. Whoever thought it would outside the Times office and the local syndicate of land speculators?

That 5000 people have been drowned and 1500 villages destroyed by floods in Orissa, India.

That go to Ferguson's and get the new Map of Coal Harbor, 25cts; View of Victoria and vicinity, $1; Illustrated British Columbia, 25cts; Map of British Columbia, 50cts; 3rd door south of Postoffice. *

That the proper thing now to do is to advertise in *The Colonist Annual.* *

That France and China have signed the peace treaty.

That in Carthage, N. Y., a vigilance committee of farmers has been formed to suppress outrages on live stock and other property by a dissolute family.

That the Caceristt rebels in Peru have been utterly routed. Many rebels, including Colonel Pacheco Cespedes, were drowned in the river while endeavoring to escape, as the stream is very much swollen for this season.

That the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, total assets over $105,000,000, has now made a deposit in conformity with the Dominion laws, and issues policies on the new five year distribution, endowment and other plans. Messrs. H. F. HEISTERMAN & Co. are the agents for British Columbia, who will be happy to furnish all necessary information. *

That those of the "Pirates" who have not already given Hall & Lowe sittings will greatly oblige them by doing so not later than the 17th of November. *

That China refuses to make any concessions for railways.

That W. C. Bryant has been expelled from the Ithaca Masonic lodge, in North Star, Michigan, because he proclaimed himself an agnostic.

That Fong Kee, the Victoria Chinaman who tried to enter San Francisco with a bogus certificate, returned on the Mexico.

THAT YOU CAN GET FROM VICTORIA TO PORTLAND FOR $2 BY BUYING EASTERN THROUGH TICKETS FROM ROBT. IRVING, AGENT O. R. & N. CO., WHARF ST. oc13-1m.

That a demand will be made on the United States by the Chinese government for reparation and indemnity for all suffering and injury to which Chinese have been subjected as a result of various outbreaks against them.

That A. MCLEAN & Co's SCOTCH HOUSE, (Established 1862), VICTORIA, B. C., have the BEST appointed clothing store north of San Francisco, and have received a choice assortment of MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING, UNDER CLOTHING, SHIRTS, HATS, HOSIERY, UMBRELLAS AND WATERPROOF Goods from the best ENGLISH, SCOTCH and DOMINION MARKETS which they offer at the smallest possible advance on cost, to make room for large shipments on the way. *

That the Mr. Moore who lately paid under the Chinese restriction act the sum of $350 as the price of his wife's and children's admission to this province should take advantage of the precedent mentioned by a correspondent in another column and petition the minister of justice for the refund of the money.

That yesterday's tide was so high that the planing mills at the foot of Finlayson's bridge were forced to stop work.

That dull and cloudy weather makes no difference to us. Pictures taken equally well in any kind of weather. HALL & LOWE, leading photographers, Government street. *

THAT FINE IMPORTED XXX EDINBURGH AND BURTON-ON-TRENT ALES ARE ON DRAUGHT AT THE OCCIDENTAL.

That Ross Winans of Baltimore, who seems to have made up his mind to cumber the earth as much as possible, has shot 150 stags in Rosshire and Inverneshire, Scotland, this season. The cost to him of this gentle butchery is about $1,250 a stag, or $197,500 for his year's sport.

That a floating bar room now plies up and down the Savannah river, in Georgia, supplying such of the thirsty as care to journey to the craft in small boats which the proprietors will send ashore for them.

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4m* JOSEPH SOMMERS, Gov't St.

A NUISANCE.—The congregation of the Methodist church complain of the crowd of young men and boys who every Sunday evening congregate on the sidewalk in front of the church doors, ogling everyone who passes and making it difficult for ladies to push through the crowd. A policeman at that point is very necessary to make the idlers move on, and should be present every Sunday.

NEW QUARTERS.—Mr. E. C. Baker, M. P., has removed to handsome new offices on the second flat of Hamley's block, corner Government and Broughton streets. These offices are commodious, well lighted and ventilated, and are really among the most eligible in the city.

THREE CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.—At a meeting of Capt. W. Moore's creditors, yesterday, held at the office of Mr. Baker, M. P., a final dividend of three cents on the dollar was declared.

THE TEASER.—Mr. John Cuthbert will go north in the Barbara Boscowitz. He is armed with the necessary papers to seize and bring back the fugitive steamer Teaser.

CABINET SIZE *Oil Paintings of the Gorge, Goldstream, Foul Bay, looking down the Arm from the Gorge bridge, Plumper's Pass, and many others, at Hibben & Co.'s.* *

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Marine.

The steamship Queen of the Pacific arrived at San Francisco on the 22d.

The ship State of Maine, from Departure Bay, and ship Astoria, from Nanaimo, arrived at San Francisco on the 21st.

The first vessel of the California wheat fleet of 1885-86 has arrived at Queenstown. It is not the one expected to attain that honor. The first vessel cleared in July was the Houghton Tower, and she left San Francisco on the 2d of that month; but the honor belongs to the British iron ship Thessalus, which did not leave until the 27th of July. Though eight vessels preceded her that month, she reached her destination first, having arrived out last Sunday, 111 days.

The Norwegian ship Melanesia has been out 335 days from Newcastle-on-Tyne to San Francisco.

What a Wife Said.

Simply this and nothing more:
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HERDICS.—The Victoria Transfer Co. have purchased at Portland two large herdic coaches for their omnibus route in this city. Each herdic holds twelve persons. These vehicles are very comfortable to ride in and will be a pleasant acquisition.

THE bark Ella S. Thayer, lying at Seattle, laden with coal, dragged anchors during the blow on Sunday morning, but escaped injury.

THE trial at Seattle of Dewitt Rumsey, indicted for riot against the Chinese, resulted in a verdict of guilty.

THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.

The Liberals Hopelessly Split.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Cable from London to the Tribune: The annual dissolution of parliament has brought England face to face with the greatest electoral contest in her history. The first elections will be held on Monday next. The borough elections will be completed by Saturday, and the election in the counties will begin on December 10th. The country is but ill-prepared to decide on the issues before it. Neither the liberals nor the tories had distinctly defined their policy. The liberal party is notoriously split asunder on two, if not three, vital questions. Gladstone has done his best at Midlothian to plaster over their growing yawning cracks, but his efforts this year succeed imperfectly. The tories, in the meantime, push two of the questions to the front—fair trade and disestablishment. The former assumes unexpected prominence. Good judges say that its influence on the elections is likely to be considerable. All classes that are suffering from depression of business are ready to catch at any plausible remedy. The church cry still offers the tories their best chance. The liberals, who counted a fortnight since on a clear majority of forty-six, now claim twenty. The tories are daily more confident over their chances of keeping in office by a coalition with Parnell. What all concede is that the elections will be prolific in surprises.

Astonishing Career of Crime.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—An astonishing career of crime has been revealed by an arrest just made in Staffordshire. An armed and disguised burglar was captured while he was ransacking the residence of a gentleman named Honeymoon, at West Bromwich. When his disguise was removed, the burglar was recognized as a man of supposed wealth who lived in the neighborhood, and had been looked up to as a man of irreproachable character. He was regular in his attendance upon religious duties, especially in partaking of the Sacrament, and was deemed an exemplary churchman. He has a son and a daughter, both of whom occupied good positions in society. Both were recently married, and their father presented them with diamonds, services of silver, and jewelry in profusion. All these valuables are now known to have been stolen by the father. It is said that his children knew nothing of his crimes, and they are overwhelmed with grief and shame.

SINCE the appearance of the photograph of the Princess of Wales in the mortar-board and gown of her academic degree as a doctor of music, hats have been made of a similar shape and are all the rage in London.

THE BOSTON Transcript announces that Miss Harcourt of London, accompanied by valets and maids, is registered at the Vendome. It takes an English girl to travel with every convenience right at hand.

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And the old folks laugh when they find that the pleasant liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is more easily taken and more beneficial in its action than bitter, nauseous medicines. It strengthens the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, while it arouses them to a hearty activity. For sale by Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria. 6dw

THE WAR IN EUROPE.

Notes from Belgrade.

BELGRADE, Nov. 22.—Servian losses on the 18th, 18th and 19th inst., included 11 officers killed and 22 wounded.

Emperor Francis Joseph, in compliance with a request of Queen Natalie, has granted permission to doctors of the Austrian Red Cross Society to go to Servia.

A dispatch from Tsaribrod says that Bulgarians have massacred Servian Lieut. Katich, who was found on the field of battle wounded, and Servian Lieuts. Schivko and Rathovich, who were prisoners of war.

Gen. Lefhkanin telegraphs that the Bulgarian troops which had been fighting in the field near Widdin have been ensconced in the fortress of that town, and that the entire district between Timok, Belgradjik and Lom, on the Danube, has been cleared of Bulgarians.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A cablegram says: Intervention to prevent further carrying on of the war in the Balkans is almost assured. All advices received today tend to confirm the report that England, as well as the rest of Europe, is sickening at the details of bloodshed in Bulgaria. Everybody knows it is useless, because the central powers have already arranged a plan for settlement of the Balkan question.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily News says the Turkish government has warned Servia to withdraw her troops from Bulgaria, or Turkish troops will invade Servia.

A dispatch from Athens to the Standard says that Turkey is inclined to force a conflict with Greece before the latter has completed her preparations for war.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Advices from Tearibrod state that the weather there is terribly severe. Dragoman pass is blocked with snow, and the roads across the mountains are impassible. The Drina division forced its way through, after a hand to hand struggle in Saturday's fight, and joined the main army before Slivinitza. Orders have been sent to Belgrade to delay the formation of the second reserve division, as it is not needed at present.

A WHIPPER WHIPPED.

How Some Yakima County Women Served a Wife-Beater.

A correspondent at North Yakima writes as follows: About twenty miles from North Yakima, up the valley of the Ahtanum, is Tampico post-office. The location is a beautiful one, and the soil is as fruitful as could be desired. Heretofore the neighborhood of Tampico has been one of peace and free from all dissension, but recently merry war has been piping thereabout. The postmaster of the place, Harry Roberts, was accused of whipping his wife, and warned never to attempt it again. Mrs. Roberts, who is a delicate little woman, confided to a neighboring member of her sex information of the treatment she received and showed the welts and bruises on her body. The word was sent forth to the neighboring farmers and, on Wednesday night, an organized body of men and women proceeded to Roberts' house and the men took Roberts out, removed his clothing, even to taking off his shirt, and tied him to a stake in front of the post-office, when the women set to with black-snakes and brush switches and gave him a thrashing that brought the blood to the surface of his back and caused him to plead piteously. When the thrashing was completed Roberts' fastenings were cut and he was allowed to sneak off. That night he packed his blankets, mounted a cayuse and started over the hills for par's unknown. Thursday, Mrs. T. J. V. Clark, who admired the course of the women, presented each with a dress pattern. —*Seattle Chronicle.*

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RIEL MEETINGS.

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QUEBEC, Nov. 22.—A meeting called to express indignation at the execution of Riel, held at Levis, to-day, drew an immense crowd. Effigies were burned, and flags inscribed "Glory to the Hero and Martyr Riel," "Death to Sir John Macdonald," and "Hurrah for Riel," were displayed. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed. Hon. M. Pelletier called upon all to unite, and said war had been opened by Orangemen in Sherbrooke, in attacking nationalists. Hon. M. Desijardins, conservative member of parliament, said a protest against the execution of Riel, representing 1,500,000 French Canadians had been sent to the government but was not recognized, and a threatened rupture had now come between the government and province of Quebec. He reminded Sir John Macdonald of the burning of the parliament house in Montreal in 1843, and latterly of the scaffold of Riel. Other prominent men made strong speeches against the government.

An indignation meeting at Quebec Center last night was attended by 3,000 electors. Mr. Bosse, M. P. for this constituency, said he did not think the ministers deserved censure. He was not allowed to speak further, and in the uproar that followed was forced to retire. Some threats were made against him, but the influence of members of the committee and the presence of a strong posse of policemen prevented them from being carried out.

Owen Murphy, ex-mayor, Messrs. Lemieux and Fitzpatrick, Hon. P. Garneau and others addressed the meeting. The speakers stated that the movement was directed against Orangemen only, and wanted it distinctly understood that the question of Protestantism and Orangeism must not be confounded, and they wished to live in peace in the future as they had done in the past with the former denomination.

Another indignation meeting was held at Charlesbourg, the constituency of Hon. Mr. Caron, this afternoon. There were 3,000 persons present. In point of forcible speech and enthusiasm the meeting almost surpassed any of kind yet held. Sir A. P. Carson was loudly denounced, and imprecations were uttered against him. He had been invited to be present, but did not put in an appearance.

Beauport to-night was also the scene of an indignation meeting, which was equally loud in protestations and denunciations as any other meetings.

AT MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—The Rev. father Dowd, at St. Patrick's church to-day, advised his flock to have nothing to do with the new national party, which he said would lead them to disaster.

The long-talked of mass meeting at Champ de Mars, by French Canadians, was held this afternoon, about 10,000 persons being present. There were three platforms, at each of which the French flag floated. There were between thirty and forty speakers, who one and all protested in strong language against the action of the government in hanging Riel and called upon all present to combine to defeat the government. Sir John Macdonald was a special object of invective, his action in the present instance being regarded by the speakers as a crime of the most culpable character. A telegram was read from Messrs. Boyd and Murphy, of the New York Irish Union, protesting against Orange fanaticism and British brutality, and wishing the French Canadians success in the struggle. The following resolution among others, was passed unanimously: "That in executing Louis Riel the government has committed an act of inhumanity and cruelty unworthy of a civilized nation, and deserves the condemnation of all friends of right and justice, without distinction of race or religion.

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NOTICE.

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Names.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares	Amt.
James Wallace	620	2,000	$20 00
do	621	2,000	20 00
do	623	1,000	10 00
do	625	500	5 00
do	626	500	5 00
do	627	500	5 00
do	628	136	1 36
do	843	500	5 00
do	844	500	5 00
do	845	500	5 00
do	846	500	5 00
do	847	500	5 00
do	849	500	5 00
do	850	500	5 00
M. M. Hagarty	182	10,000	100 00
do	183	1,000	10 00
do	184	1,000	10 00
do	186	1,000	10 00
do	187	1,000	10 00
do	188	1,000	10 00
do	189	1,000	10 00
do	190	1,000	10 00
S. W. Wells	1222	100	1 00
W. T. Jarvis	761	8,018	80 18
Walter Trounce	515	500	5 00

And in accordance with law, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Secretary's Office, Quesnelle, B. C, on the 30th day of November, 1885, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

W. A. JOHNSON, Secretary, Quesnelle, B.C.

Quesnelle, B.C., 30th Oct., 1885 no7dw2w

VICTORIA THEATRE CO., LIMITED

NOTICE OF CALL.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, Shareholders are hereby notified that the 7th call of $50 per share will be due and payable at the Company's Office on Monday, the 21st day of December, 1885.

By order, JNO. J. AUSTIN, Secty and Treasurer.

Victoria Theatre Co.'s Office, *The Colonist* Building, Government st., Victoria, 19 h Nov, 1885. no20td

VICTORIA THEATRE CO., LIMITED

NOTICE.

ALL ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE COMPANY are to be sent in forthwith to the Company's office, and in future no goo ls are to be suppli d on the Company's account except upon the written order of the Secretary.

By order. JNO. J. AUSTIN, Secty and Treasurer.

Victoria Theatre Co.'s Office, *The Colonist* Building, Government st., Victoria, 19th Nov., 1885. no20

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING CO., (LIMITED.)

Location of Works, - - - Hixon Creek, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A Meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the seventh day of November, 1885, an Assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the Capital Stock of the Company, payable forthwith to W. A. Johnston, Secretary, at the Company's Office, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on THURSDAY, the seventeenth of December, 1885, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on Friday, the 15th day of January, 1886, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary, Quesnelle, B. C.

Quesnelle, B. C., 8th Nov., 1885. no20 d2w wlm

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NOTICE.

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W. S. GORE, Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 17th Nov., 1885. no18 2w (Columbian copy)

VICTORIA WATER WORKS TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p. m. on the

16th December next,

FOR THE SUPPLY OF

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THOS. RUSSELL, Water Commissioner.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., 29th Oct., 1885. oc30

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THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM MOORE,

PRIOR TO ASSIGNMENT OF 18TH MAY, 1880, are hereby requested to meet at the office of the undersigned on TUESDAY, the 24th inst., at 3 p. m., when a final dividend will be declared and a general statement of the affairs of the estate will be given by the trustees.

no8 E. CROW BAKER, Secretary.

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no5 1m

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Agents for British Columbia and Washington Territory my10

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL moneys due for freight carried by Steamers "Teaser" and "Adelaide" (including passage) are payable to the undersigned and not otherwise.

no22 2w TURNER, BEETON & CO.

NOTICE.

WE HAVE GIVEN THIS DAY OUR POWER of Attorney to transact business to M. STROUSS.

C. STROUSS & CO.

Victoria, Nov. 9th, 1885. no10

NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL MAKE APPLICATion at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for a license to sell wines and spirituous liquors by retail, on the premises known as the Theatre Comique, Fort street.

no21 1m T. D. CYRS.

NOTICE

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL MAKE APPLICATION at the next sitting of the Licensing Magistrates for a license to sell by retail wines and liquors, on the premises situate on the south side of Johnson street, known as the Gordon Hotel.

no21 1m A. B McINTYRE.

NOTICE.

150-MILE HOUSE, 14th Nov., 1885.

I HAVE THIS DAY MADE APPLICATION FOR the purchase of 160 acres of land, situate between the Williams Lake School Reserve and the property known as the Johnston Pre-emption at 150-Mile House.

no21 2m PETER OGDEN HAMILTON.

NOTICE.

ALL UNPAID BILLS AGAINST THE STEAMers "Teaser" and "Adelaide" must be left at the office of Eberts & Taylor, Langley street, on or before November 30th, 1885.

CAPT. HENRY MOORE, Per WM. MOORE.

no18 2w

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE STEAMers "Teaser" and "Adelaide" for freight or passage, etc, are warned not pay any bill or part of bills to Turner, Beeton & Co, until a receiver be appointed.

CAPT HENRY MOORE, Per WM. MOORE.

no18 2w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT I INTEND TO APPLY TO THE CHIEF Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following land:—Commencing at a post on the north bank of Gold Creek, Big Bend, Kootenay District, five chains below the crossing of the Seymour Trail from La Porte to French Creek; thence northerly 30 chains to post 2; thence easterly (crossing McCulloch's Creek) 50 chains; thence southerly 40 chains; thence westerly 50 chains, following the meanderings of Gold Creek to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less.

JAMES GRAY.

Gold Creek, 11th Sept., 1885. se25

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in Bayward District, described as follows.—Commencing at a point 160 chains, more or less southwest of W. Powers' south-west corner, thence running due north 80 chains; thence due west 80 chains; thence due south 80 chains, and thence east 80 chains to point of commencement

W. L. McDONALD.

Victoria, B. C., 23d September, 1885. se24

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATion will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next session, by and on behalf of the settlers and owners of land situate at and upon the Matsqui Prairie, upon the Fraser River, for the passage of an Act for the relief of the said settlers and owners from the provisions of the "Sumass Dyking Act, 1878," and its amendment of 1883, and to annul and declare forfeited all rights and powers heretofore conferred by the said Act and amendment upon E. L. Derby, or his assigns, to collect assessments or interest from the applicants and to repeal such Act and amendment so far as they are concerned.

Matsqui, March 6th, 1885. mh8td

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any person assuming to act for him, unless specially authorized (by writing signed by him) to incur the same.

A. ONDERDONK, Yale, B.C

June 4th, 1885. ja5tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE INtend to apply at the next sitting of the board of Licensing Magistrates for a transfer to us of the liquor license now held by H. A. Czarske, at the corner of View and Douglas streets.

DANIEL DAVID MOSES, GEORGE HENRY BABBAGE.

Victoria, Nov. 14th, 1885. no14 2w

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Ladner's Landing, New Westminster and Pt. Hammond	7 A.M.		7 A.M.		7 A.M.	
Plumper Pass	7 A.M				7 A.M.	
Granville, Moodyville, Pt Moody			6 A.M.			
Chilliwhack & Way Landings	7 A.M.				7 A.M.	

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No freight will be received after 5 p.m. JNO. IRVING, Manager. de2tf

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NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS

In Government Savings Bank

AT NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

CAPTAIN PITTENDRIGH HAVING RESIGNED the Agency of the Dominion Savings Bank at New Westminster, B. C., DEPOSITORS therein are requested to FORWARD WITHOUT DELAY their respective Pass Books by registered letter or express, addressed to the Acting Agent, Mr. R. E. JONES, or, if possible, present them to him at the Bank, for the purpose of having their accounts verified.

THOMAS D. TIMS, Provincial Inspector For the Dominion of Canada.

New Westminster, B. C., 3rd November, 1885. no10 1m

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

DELANEY VS. HARKER.

HAVING, BY ORDER OF THE HONORABLE Mr. Justice Crease, dated 2nd October, 1885, been appointed Receiver of the partnership property and effects of the firm of Delaney & Harker, I hereby give notice that all claims against the said firm are to be handed in to me forthwith, and all monies due to them are to be paid to me only.

JOHN J. AUSTIN, Receiver.

The Colonist Building, Government St., Victoria. October 2nd, 1885. oc3tf

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT,

OTTAWA, 1st October, 1885.

NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS

—IN—

Government Savings Banks.

DEPOSITORS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT Government will not be responsible for moneys sent direct to Agents of Savings Banks by Mail for deposit, and that all deposits must be made at the Bank in accordance with the regulations by the depositor in person, or by a third party acting in his behalf, on the spot. For the future,

MONEYS FORWARDED FOR DEPOSIT BY MAIL

Will, on receipt, be returned at sender's risk and expense. By order.

THOMAS D. TIMS, Financial Inspector.

no19 1m

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ASSOCIATE OF ONTARIO, AGRICULTURAL College, Fellow of the Montreal Medical Association. OFFICE—Above Mechanics' Institute, Fort street. no3 3m

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 9th November, 1885.

WHEREAS THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act, 1885," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing districts; it is hereby notified that His Honor has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of the "South Cowichan School District" be altered and redefined as follows:—

All that portion of Shawnigan District north of the line separating Sections 15 and 16, and east of the Kokasilah River, and that portion of Cowichan District east of the line dividing Ranges III. and IV.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary.

no20 1w

SALE OF UNSURVEYED LANDS OUTSIDE RAILWAY BELT.

TAKE NOTICE THAT I, THE UNDERSIGNED, intend to make application to purchase a block of land of forty chains by eighty chains, lying north and south on the shore, at the west extremity of Cowichan Lake, across the trail to Nitinat for forty chains, back from the lake shore as duly staked out and notified on the said land in my name; as also, one of the four small islets of some seven acres, more or less, towards the west end of the lake, near the south shore.

ARTHUR EDWARD McCALLAM, Maple Bank, Esquimalt, B C.

October 25th, 1885. oc27w2m

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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

THAT BY ORDER OF COURT, DATED 16TH September, 1885, I have been appointed Receiver of the Estate, Effects and Credits of URIAH NELSON, now or formerly of Yale, Merchant.

All persons indebted to the said URIAH NELSON or who have any of his effects (not held by virtue lien or as security), are forthwith to pay or deliver the same to me and to no one else.

Dated the 16th September, 1885.

HARVEY COMBE.

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, County Court, James Bay. se17tf

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